

JANUARY 5, 2020

FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY

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Office Hours:

Mon-Thurs 9:00am - 1:00pm, 3:00pm - 7:30pm | Fri 9:00am - 1:00pm

Sat 2:30 pm - 6:30 pm Sun 8:30 am - 6:00 pm



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SUNDAY MASSES

5:00 pm (Sat);

9:00 am; 10:30 am; 12:00 pm; 4:30 pm

CONFESSIONS

Mon-Fri: 11:30 am - 12:00 pm

Sat: 4:15 pm - 4:45 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon-Fri: 7:30 am; 12:10 pm

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS & FUNERALS

Please see the parish website or call the main office for details. Weddings require a one year notice.

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

VESPERS Mon-Fri: 5:10 pm

LAUDS Sat: 9:00 am

ADORATION

Thurs: 3:30-5:00pm



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WHAT CAN I GIVE?

By Michael Pirri

*In the bleak mid-winter
Frosty wind made moan;
Earth stood hard as iron,
Water like a stone;
Snow had fallen, snow on snow,
Snow on snow,
In the bleak mid-winter
Long ago.*

*Our God, heaven cannot hold Him
Nor earth sustain,
Heaven and earth shall flee away
When He comes to reign:
In the bleak mid-winter
A stable-place sufficed
The Lord God Almighty —
Jesus Christ.*

*Enough for Him, whom Cherubim
Worship night and day,
A breastful of milk
And a mangerful of hay;
Enough for Him, whom Angels
Fall down before,
The ox and ass and camel
Which adore.*

*Angels and Archangels
May have gathered there,
Cherubim and seraphim
Thronged the air;
But only His Mother
In her maiden bliss
Worshipped the Beloved
With a kiss.*

*What can I give Him,
Poor as I am? —
If I were a Shepherd
I would bring a lamb;
If I were a Wise Man
I would do my part, —
Yet what I can I give Him, —
Give my heart.*

—In the Bleak Midwinter (Rossetti)

No doubt today's Gospel reading is a familiar story. Though we usually meld it together with the birth of Christ as part of the nativity, the wise men don't actually show up until Epiphany, the 12th day of Christmas. The season of Christmas lasts from Christmas to the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. (In some communities, it's observed until Candlemas, also known as the Feast of the Presentation.)

As we continue through the Christmas season, it's important to consider how we are invited to share the joy of the nativity throughout the *entire* Christmas season.

SUNDAY'S READINGS:

ISAIAH 60.1-6

PSALM 72

EPHESIANS 3.2-3A, 5-6

MATTHEW 2.1-12

GREGORIAN CHANT WORKSHOP

Presented by Medieval Chant specialist Katherine Hill. This workshop series is in two sessions, and will focus on building skills for singing of the Liturgy of the Hours in a community setting.

Monday January 13 & 20, 2020

7:00PM in Ardèche Hall

St. Basil's Church

50 St. Joseph Street

For more information or to register, please contact Rob Bedolfe at (416) 231-5504

Vespers (evening prayer) is celebrated
Monday through Friday at 5:10PM;

Lauds (morning prayer) is celebrated
Saturdays at 9:00AM

NEW OFFICE HOURS (EFFECTIVE JANUARY 4, 2020)

Over the course of the fall, parish staff has been keeping track of the number of visits to the parish office, phone calls, and email inquiries which come in on a daily basis.

Using this information, we've made some adjustments to the parish office hours, which began on January 4, 2020.

MONDAY-THURSDAY	9:00AM – 7:30PM
(Lunch Closure	1:00PM – 3:00PM)
FRIDAYS	9:00AM – 1:00PM
SATURDAYS	2:30PM – 6:30PM
SUNDAYS	8:30AM – 6:00PM

If you have any questions, please contact the Margaret in the parish office at (416) 926-7110 or margaret.delia@utoronto.ca.

JOHN FORD FIRST SUNDAY FOOD DRIVE

Thank you for your generous support of the John Ford First Sunday Food Drive. Your contributions enable us to serve those in our community who need it most.

If you are interested in volunteering for an Outreach Ministry, please contact Michael at michael.pirri@utoronto.ca or (416) 926-2075.

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

As tax season draws near, our Parish Office is looking to ensure that information is properly recorded in our system. If you have moved in 2019, please confirm your new address with the Parish Office so that you will receive the donation receipt at the correct address.

SUNDAY'S OFFERTORY:

Sunday, December 29, 2019 Total unavailable



MASS INTENTIONS

JANUARY 5TH – 11TH

SUNDAY

FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY

9:00am

10:30am *Pro Populo*

12:00pm Juan Amestoy (+)

4:30pm Mary Reid (+)

MONDAY

7:30am

12:10pm Katrina Teh (liv.)

TUESDAY

7:30am Brendan Costello (+)

12:10pm

WEDNESDAY

9:00am The Thalheimer Family

12:00pm

THURSDAY

7:30am

12:10pm

FRIDAY

7:30am

12:10pm Luigi Ciavarella (+)

SATURDAY

5:00pm Connie Langstaff (+)

PRAY FOR THE SICK, especially, Sue Banfield, Rebecca Beaton, Barbara Boyle, Desmond Brownlee, Anne C., Gemma Ciavarella, Mary Jane Cowan, Josephine D'amico, Jasper David-Fuchs, Clare DeMello, Romulus DeMello, Erika Farncomb, Jose Gaitero, Maryanne Hodges, Roberto Martello, Margaret Mary McKenzie, Neil McCormack, Hilary McCormack, Rosy Menezes, Mary O'Brien, Paul O'Brien, Delaila Salvador, Erin Sullivan, Kham Tang, Betty Veit, and Alexander Wu.

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